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**AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
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Sir:

Please amend this application as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please replace the sixth full paragraph on page 5 (lines 19-24) with the following paragraph:

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--The base embodiment of the invention preferably includes the following elements: a footing 100, a lower housing (or base) 110, a lower housing cap 130, a non-mechanical bearing element 140, and an upper housing (or cover or platform) 150 as shown in Figures 1(a)-2(b). Figures 3(a)-(c) are also illustrative if the stopper structure is ignored. The lower housing 110 and the upper housing 150 rotate relative to each other preferably through the bearing element 140.--

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